AN ACT relating to home or hospital instruction for exceptional children.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

- → Section 1. KRS 157.270 is amended to read as follows:
- (1) If in any district there are exceptional children not able even with the help of transportation to be assembled in a school, instruction shall be provided in the child's home or in hospitals or sanitoria. Exceptional children shall receive a minimum of two (2) visits per week by a teacher provided by the board of education for a combined minimum of five (5) hours of instruction. Students who receive this instruction[so instructed] may be counted under the provisions of KRS 157.360[, counting, however, a minimum of two (2) visits a week with a minimum of one (1) hour of instruction per visit, by a teacher provided by the board of education] as equivalent to the attendance of one (1) child five (5) days in school.
- (2) If the minimum number of hours of instruction are not provided, a student shall receive all missed instructional hours before the end of the school year as defined in KRS 158.050. Students who receive missed instructional hours may be counted under the provisions of KRS 157.360 in accordance with administrative regulations promulgated by the Kentucky Board of Education.